GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA

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PROMOTION OF CULTURE IN WEST BENGAL
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has made any initiatives to safeguard and promote culture of West Bengal; and

(b) if so, the details of achievements and the amount spent during the last three years, till date?

Answer

MINISTER FOR TOURISM AND CULTURE(SMT. AMBIKA SONI)

(a): Yes, Sir. The Ministry of Culture has taken various initiatives to safeguard and promote culture all over the country including West Bengal. These activities are carried out both through the Ministry's Schemes as well as by attached, subordinate and autonomous organizations of the Ministry.

(b): The details of activities/achievements and amounts spent by the Ministry and various organizations under the Ministry of Culture during the last three years are at Annexure.